



Our Lady of Prompt Succor Catholic Church

2320 Paris Road, Chalmette, Louisiana 70043
2nd Sunday of Easter/Divine Mercy Sunday - April 27, 2025



O Radiant Night! He is risen! Alleluia!!! Congratulations to our newest members of the Church! 20 people were brought into full communion during our Easter Vigil. 19 were Baptized and all 20 were Confirmed and received First Eucharist. Congratulations to Bekka Barattini, Sherrill Bergeron, Ava Blymier, Dayana Cardona, Karla Custodio, Ariel Espiritu, Hanna Espiritu, Hayden Espiritu, Noah Espiritu, Emely Aguilar Galindo, Milania Aguilar Galindo, Mathew Gutierrez, Christiana Havers, Isabella Ortiz, Brianna Cardona Paz, Jose Perez-Pineda, Keilin Rapalo-Villalvir, Gracie Stall, Angel Jose Velasco, and Elisa Velasco.



What a joyful morning at OLPS! After the 10:30 a.m. Mass, families gathered for a fun-filled Easter Egg Hunt sponsored by the generous Beau Bowman and Kelly Le. Even Father Andy joined in on the fun, celebrating the season with our amazing community!

We hope you and your families enjoyed collecting goodies and making memories together. Wishing you a continued joyful and blessed Easter Sunday!

“Giving with Grateful Hearts” Program

Over the next few weeks, you will be hearing about the upcoming “Giving with Grateful Hearts” Program at Our Lady of Prompt Succor Church. This effort is very important as we move forward with the mission and vision of Our Lady of Prompt Succor Church. We, as a parish family, have changed so many lives in our community! In order to continue our mission and ministries, we encourage all parishioners to spend time in prayer and discussion with your family reflecting on the work we do. Our special Commitment Weekend will be celebrated on May 17 & 18. If you have any questions regarding the “Giving with Grateful Hearts” Program, please feel free to contact the parish office.



*Please Pray for the Souls of
Lenora Hadley*

Amanda LaRocca



In observance of the 9 nine days of mourning for the passing of Pope Francis, Fr. Marlon and Fr. Andy would like to invite everyone to a Rosary and Memorial Mass in honor of Pope Francis on Monday, April 28th at 6 pm in the church.

We can't wait to celebrate with YOU and your family this weekend at the Tomato Festival! Let's do this, Patriots and OLPS Parishioners! Beautiful weather forecasted! Thank you Our Lady of Prompt Succor!



BAPTISMS

First time parents/godparents must attend a seminar to set the date of baptism for their child. Baptisms take place on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month immediately following the 10:30 am Mass. The Baptismal seminar is on the second and fourth Thursdays of every month at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center. Registration is required for the seminar. Please call the rectory to register for the seminar.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Confessions are held one-half hour before the 4:00 pm Vigil Mass, the 8:30 am, the 10:30 am, the 1:00 pm. (Spanish) and 6:00 pm Mass or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

You must contact the church at least six months before the date of the wedding.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the rectory.

FUNERALS

Contact the funeral home first, and they will contact the Rectory. Funeral Liturgists will meet with you once the funeral arrangements are made to plan the liturgy.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you with great joy and invite you to register and worship with us regularly. Census forms are at all exits.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT



Collections 4/12-13, 2025
\$9,205.22

Mass Attendance: 1,083
Social Outreach Collection:
\$610.00

Collections 4/19-20, 2025
\$ 10,360.62

Mass Attendance: 1,333
Social Outreach Collection:
\$659.00

Vigil Light
Petrina Randazzo



Rose
Petrina Randazzo



The prayer list will run for two weeks only. If you would like to add your beloved to the list or keep them on past the two weeks, please call the rectory or drop the intention in the collection basket. Maria S. Montel, Verónica Rodríguez, Luz A. Bringas, Carolina Silvia Brizuela Pérez, Andrea Emilia Bernabe, Rodolfo Martin Arrua Barrera, Ángel Esteban Arrua, Gustavo Cáceres, Cáceres, Rios, Alonso, & Santa Cruz Families; Frederick H. Wallace, Sr., Connie Gioe, Debbie Naquin, Ronnie Blazio, Cindy Reynolds, Paula Satterlee, Patrick Rapp, Ware Family, George W.F., George Raymond Seamon, Joseph Royster & Family, Ethan Michael Powers, Raymond Thibodeaux, Arlene Morain, Jermine Robinson, Roselyn Hansen, Irene Buras, Tony Caserta, Victoria Sanders, Lynn Brooks, Jayne Satimore, Eddy Meyers, Troy Riviere, Billy Quellette, Winston Otillio, John Otillio, Dolores Scariano, Fr. Jeffrey Montz, Rose Vincens, Gayle Prattini, Nicole LeBlanc, Annalisa & Grant Evans, Walter Schroyer, Al Jirovec, George Theaux, Annette Penn, Danny Hotard, Howard Hotard, Irene Penn, Jeanne Cucinella, Angelo Cucinella, John Cucinella, Jr., Theresa Campbell, Patricia Labarre, Margaret Bavido, Ryan Garland, OFS., Linda Ruiz, Lily Cook, Dana Lipse, Greg Barnes, Eric Messa, Hearty Family, Troclair Family, Sharon Troclair, Susan Elser, Roxanne H. Johnson, Rena Conley, Wiley Guillot, Jay Landreaux, Liz Lemoine, Jeri Olivier, Lydia Palisi, Al Bruder, Pauline Gioe, Valerie Alehandria Airhart Tartaglia, Tricia Hanzo Rinker, Tamel Bridges, Cindy Rogers, James Rogers, Susan Ertininda, Brogan Burns, Marsha Ancalade, Rosie Hanson, Irene Buras, Alexis Hauptmann, Cynthia Medel & Fly., Marilyn Henderson, Elaina Rosa, Whitney Fulton III, Delores Blazio, Steve Thorne, Melanie Sewaya, Laverine Hannan

† Mass Intentions †

Easter Saturday, April 26, 2025

4:00 p.m. Michael R. Hearty, Carol Derbyshire, Archie, Helen & Kenny Forsyth, Joan & Carl T. Treitler, Sr., Floyd T. & Kirby B. Lodrigues, Jr., Judy Nunez, F. Gordon Willhoft Jr., Kyle St. Angelo, Anthony Licciardi, Jr., Anthony & Thelma Licciardi, Lee & Charlette Melancon, Charles Melancon, Allen Melancon, Joseph & Lolly Cappel, Terry Tedesco, Tedesco & Papania Fls., Danny Gaspard, John Palmer, Paul & Margie Laguens, Lena & Sidney Torres Jr., Anthony Torres, Leander Nunez, Petrina & Sam Randazzo, Anthony Randazzo, Roberta Burns Torres, Alfred Sr., Margaret & Kathleen Jirovec, Maryevelyn Badinger, Charles Cyrus, Jr., Harriet Cyrus, Leo Bares, Dell Ferguson, Chase & Cyrus Naquin, Betty Jean Showalter, Special Intentions, Joseph Lac Le, Martha Sau Nguyen, Paul Evans, June Hall, Anne Ton, Peter Hue, Joseph Hoang, Joseph Long, Doll Rizzuto, Ralph Rizzuto

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 27, 2025

7:00 a.m. The Parishioners of Our Lady of Prompt Succor Church

8:30 a.m. Mary Ellen Warner

10:30 a.m. A.J. and Angelina Benandi, Donald Bourgeois, Mary Ellen Warner, Benfiglio/Baham Fls., Vincent S. Guttuso III, David M. Guttuso, Terry Tedesco, Health of Lily Cook, Robert Lubrano, Odette Colombo, June Picou, R. J. Guidry, Albert L. Schell III, Deceased Members of the Frey & Hattier Fls., Joseph Lac Le, Martha Sau Nguyen, Nathan Longo, Luc, Jane & Luc Billiot, Jr., Dominic & Arielle Schlesinger, John Patrick, Eli Christopher and Camille Elizabeth Landry

1:00 p.m. Strength for Avalos Family

**6:00 p.m. NO MASS-Tomato Festival
Monday, April 28, 2025**

7:00 a.m. Edward George Konnecker

Tuesday, April 29, 2025

7:00 a.m. Virginia Landry

Wednesday, April 30, 2025

7:00 a.m. Gloria Blum

Thursday, May 1, 2025

7:00 a.m. Ivy Harrington

First Friday, May 2, 2025

7:00 a.m. Stella Schaubhut

First Saturday, May 3, 2025

8:00 a.m. Mark Richard

6:00 pm - Filipino Mass is celebrated on the First Saturday of each month with a shared repast after Mass.

WEEKLY READINGS - ENGAGE PARISHIONERS IN DAILY MASS AND PRAYER

Readings for the week of April 27, 2025

Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31

Monday: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9/Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21

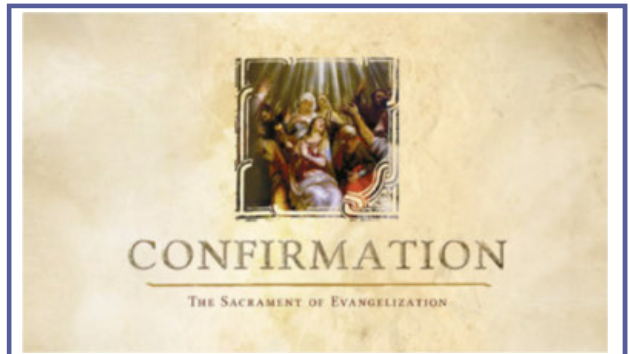
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14

Next Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a)/Rv 5:11-14/

Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14



We are excited to announce a new adult bible study series! "Lectio, Confirmation" "delves into the riches of Scripture and Tradition to shed light on this all too often misunderstood sacrament. Gain a deeper understanding of the gifts the Holy Spirit gives us in Confirmation and how we might live them out more fully as we take up our crosses and follow Christ." Sessions will be held on Monday evenings from 6:00 pm until 7:30 pm beginning Monday, April 28th and will conclude just in time for Pentecost. All are invited to join. Catholic adults who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation and complete this session will be offered the opportunity to do so on Sunday, June 8th at St. Louis Cathedral in New Orleans. For more information or to register, please

Our Lady of Prompt Succor Church Vacation Bible School 2025



New Friends - Amazing Experiments - Creative Games -
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June 23 - June 27 from 9:00 a.m. till Noon
\$40 per student entering Pre-K4 through 5th grade

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Register and pay online now at :

www.osvhub.com/olps-chalmette/forms/vacation-bible-school-2025

Adult, High School and Middle School Volunteers are needed!

Call or email Shannon Alfonso to volunteer or for help registering
504-271-3441 ext 0 or salfonso@olps-chalmette.org

SCHOOL NEWS MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Tomato Festival Student Holiday - Friday, April 25th and Monday, April 28th

First Communion - May 4th in church at 8:30 am for school and 10:30 am for PSR



2025 OLPS TOMATO FESTIVAL

STAGE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 2025

TIME	ON STAGE
5:30PM	PETTY BETTY
8PM	VOODOO GUMBO

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 2025

TIME	ON STAGE
11:30 AM	PreK 3 Girls
11:37 AM	PreK 3 Boys
11:44 AM	Collara & Landry Girls
11:51 AM	Collara & Landry Boys
11:58 AM	Heaphy
12:05 PM	Rowley
12:12 PM	Weibelt
12:19 PM	Wust
12:26 PM	1st Grade Girls
12:33 PM	1st Grade Boys
12:40 PM	2nd Grade
12:47 PM	3rd Grade
12:54 PM	4th Grade
1:01 PM	5th Grade
1:08 PM	6th Grade Girls
1:13 PM	6th Grade Boys
1:30 PM	Visiting Queens
2:00 PM	MATT & THE NOBODIES
5:30 PM	SHAKEY GROUND
8:00 PM	TOP CATS
9:00 PM	Tomato Queen Presentation

SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 2025

TIME	ON STAGE
11.30AM	Patriettes
11:50AM	Cheer
12:10PM	Peppers
12:20PM	Petites
12:30PM	7th Grade
12:50PM	Choir
2:00PM	CYPRESS POP TRIO
5:30PM	RYAN FORET
8:00PM	NO IDEA



Our students preparing to receive the First Eucharist gathered with their parents on Saturday, April 12th, for their First Eucharist retreat here at OLPS. They prayed together, learned how communion bread is made, and designed their own monstrance! Please keep these little ones in your prayers as they prepare for First Communion on Sunday, May 4th.

OLPS TOMATO FESTIVAL GUIDELINES

- 🍅 OLPS STUDENTS & CHILDREN UNDER 10 ARE FREE
- 🍅 CHILDREN UNDER 16 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT
- 🍅 NO OUTSIDE FOOD/BEVERAGES
NO COOLERS/ICE CHESTS
- 🍅 NO SMOKING ON FESTIVAL GROUNDS
- 🍅 RESPECT OTHERS AROUND YOU AND OUR GROUNDS
- 🍅 ABSOLUTELY NO WEAPONS
- 🍅 DRINK RESPONSIBLY
- 🍅 GET YOUR FEST ON!



COMUNIDAD HISPANA DE O.L.P.S

† Vicario Parroquial: Padre Andy Gonzalez

[Confesiones y Rezo del Rosario-Domingos, 12:30pm.]
[Misa Dominical-1:00pm.]

- Representantes: María F. Dueñas y Leonel Montes
(504-307-1709) (504-515-5980)

† DOMINGO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA



☆ Introducción a la Palabra:

“Tomás, tú crees porque me has visto. Dichosos los que creen sin haberme visto, dice el Señor.”

- **Primera Lectura:** Hechos 5: 12-16
- **Salmo:** 117
- **Segunda Lectura:** Apoc. 1: 9-11^a, 12-13, 17-19
- **Evangelio:** Juan 20: 19-31

La Resurrección del Señor impregna con su gloria la Palabra de Dios en este día dichoso en que continuamos nuestra celebración de la Pascua. Los discípulos continuaban estando un poco confundidos y sin rumbo, aunque ya no tanto por los encuentros que han tenido algunos con el Resucitado. En la Primera Lectura escuchamos que toda la comunidad de creyentes daba testimonio de la Resurrección por su manera de actuar y su forma de vivir. Se tratan entre sí con misericordia y amor, tal como lo hizo Jesús cada vez que se les aparece, incluso con el incrédulo Tomás. Unámonos para alabar a Dios porque su misericordia es eterna.

☆ Anuncios:

- El Lunes, 28 de Abril, **NO** hay Catequesis para Niños. Consultar a María Fernanda Dueñas.
- El Jueves, 1 de Mayo, a las 7:00pm, tendremos el Ensayo para los niños y adultos que recibirán la Primera Comunión.
- El Viernes, 2 de Mayo, a las 7:00pm, tendremos nuestra Hora Santa de silencio y oración con el Señor Sacramentado. Consultar a los Maestros de Ceremonia.
- El Domingo, 4 de Mayo, en nuestra Misa de la 1:00PM, nuestros niños y adultos de Catequesis recibirán su Primera Comunión. Consultar a María Fernanda y a Moisés Felipe.
- ¡**RECUERDEN QUE MAYO ES EL MES DE MARÍA!**

☆ Rincón para Meditar

Todavía con el regocijo de la gloria de la Pascua, celebramos hoy la misericordia incomparable de Dios. Por su gran misericordia para con nosotros, Jesús murió en la Cruz por la expiación de nuestros pecados pasados, presentes y futuros. Por su misericordia para con aquellos cuya fe es débil o cuyas dudas son fuertes, Jesús viene a asegurarnos que su presencia es eterna. Por su misericordia para con aquellos que creen en Él sin verlo, Jesús los bendice por la fe que tienen. Regocijémonos en este tiempo pascual, porque la misericordia del Señor está entre nosotros eternamente.

“Este domingo concluye... la «octava» de Pascua, que la liturgia considera como un único día: «Este es el día en que actuó el Señor» (Sal 117, 24). No es un tiempo cronológico, sino espiritual, que Dios abrió en el entramado de los días cuando resucitó a Cristo de entre los muertos. El Espíritu Creador, al infundir la vida nueva y eterna en el cuerpo sepultado de Jesús de Nazaret, llevó a la perfección la obra de la creación, dando origen a una «primicia»: primicia de una humanidad nueva que es, al mismo tiempo, primicia de un nuevo mundo y de una nueva era.

Esta renovación del mundo se puede resumir en una frase: la que Jesús resucitado pronunció como saludo y sobre todo como anuncio de su victoria a los discípulos: «Paz a vosotros» Las misericordias de Dios nos acompañan día a día. Basta tener el corazón vigilante para poderlas percibir. Somos muy propensos a notar sólo la fatiga diaria que, a nosotros, como hijos de Adán, se nos ha impuesto. Pero si abrimos nuestro corazón, entonces, aunque estemos sumergidos en ella, podemos constatar continuamente cuán bueno es Dios con nosotros; cómo piensa en nosotros precisamente en las pequeñas cosas, ayudándonos así a alcanzar las grandes.”

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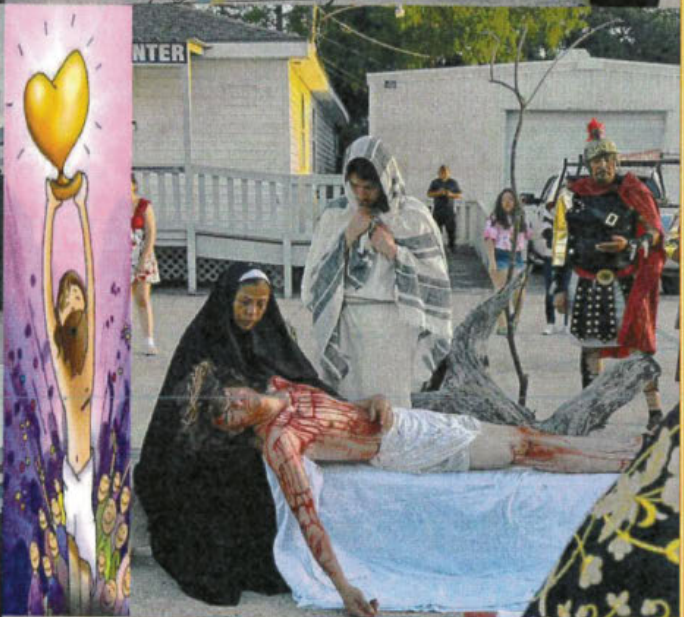
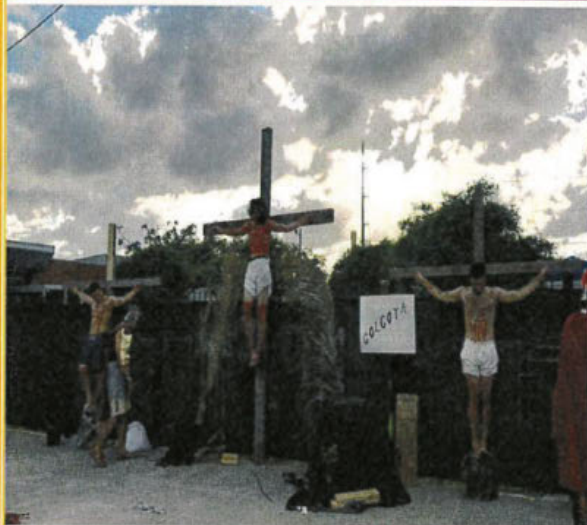
⇒ Preguntas de la Semana:

¿A quién y cómo voy a extender en este mes, la Gran Misericordia del Señor?

Este mes también celebro a mi Madre del Cielo. Mayo, mes de María



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 together in one heart
 and for me that's
 just where it is.
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 remember me as loving you."

- In Loving memory of
 Luc & Jane Billiot,
 Luc Jr, Dominic
 & Arielle Schlesinger



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